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## **DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF THE PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.181**

I, John Stattler, am attorney for the Assignee of interest (Mediabolic, Inc.) in the aboveidentified patent application (hereafter referred to as "the Patent Application");

As evidenced by the file for the Patent Application, Applicants formerly appointed attorneys, Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman, LLP, to file the Patent Application on July 19, 2001;

The Assignee of interest in the Patent Application, Mediabolic, Inc., transferred the file for the Patent Application to Stattler Johansen & Adeli, LLP;

It is the practice of Stattler Johansen & Adeli, LLP to docket, at the time of filing a patent application, foreign filing time limitations as well as a reminder to file a Request to Rescind if the patent application was initially filed with a Request to Rescind Previous Non-Publication Request;

However, since the Patent Application was not originally filed by Stattler Johansen & Adeli, LLP, a docket entry, with regard to the filing of a Request to Rescind Previous Non-Publication Request, was unintentionally omitted;

On July 19, 2002, Stattler Johansen & Adeli, LLP filed a corresponding PCT patent application based on the Patent Application;

Attorneys for Applicants failed to submit the Request to Rescind within the requisite 45 days from the filing of the PCT patent application;

Upon recent review of the file for the Patent Application, Attorneys for Applicants noted the mistake, and now submit this Petition to accept Applicants' Request to Rescind Previous Non-Publication Request; and

As such, Applicants' failure to submit the Request to Rescind Previous Non-Publication Request in the requisite time period was unintentional.

I hereby declare, under penalty of perjury of law (18 U.S.C. § 1001) that the above statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

By:

John Stattler